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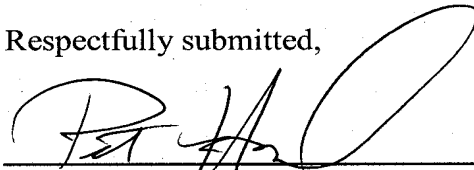
Sir:

**STATUS INQUIRY**

A Decision on Appeal was received on U.S. Serial No. 10/039,668. The Decision was affirmed-in-part and the §102(e) rejection of claims 1, 2, 7, 8, 19, 55-57 and 60 was not sustained nor was the §103(a) rejection of claims 3-6, 9-18, 20-40, 43, 45-50, 54, 58, 61-68, 73 and 74. To date, we have not received an Official Action allowing the above-referenced claims.

Kindly provide us with the status of the claims.

Respectfully submitted,



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